

## A WIDE REACHING STORM

Many States Swept By Tornado Which Moved From Gulf Of Mexico Northeast Of Great Lakes Region.

Chicago, March 21.—More than sixty persons are reported killed and hundreds injured, some mortally, by a storm of tornado intensity which raged over central, western, southern and parts of eastern states yesterday. Property damage will run far into the millions.

Definite information has been received accounting for at least forty persons dead, with the reports from points temporarily cut off from communication hourly adding to the list.

Reports from Alabama show the loss of life was heaviest in that state, the number of dead being already definitely placed at twenty-eight with additional fatalities reported, but not confirmed.

The town of Lower Peach Tree practically was wiped out.

Two are dead in Indiana, two in Tennessee, three in Ohio, two in New York, one in Michigan, and one in Louisiana. Accompanying the death list are lists of injured totaling more than 100, with additions coming in at brief intervals.

Coming out of the southwest early Friday morning, the storm swept with startling suddenness diagonally across the country from Northern Texas to Western Pennsylvania and New York, bisecting the Mississippi valley and moving northeastward across the Ohio and into the Great Lake region.

The wind which wiped out so much property and cost so many lives attained a record velocity at some points. At Detroit it reached 88 miles an hour, a new high record in that city; 84 miles at Toledo, 87 miles at Buffalo, 64 at Memphis and 75 at Louisville.

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### A DOLLAR DOWN

Our forefathers toiled, and they paid the cold cash for their furniture, fashions and fixings; they did the same thing for their clothes and their hash, and they ran up no bills for their mixings; but folks nowadays, in the country and town, have schemes that are modern and clever; they buy all their stuff at a dollar down, and a dollar a week forever. And the weeks they come and the weeks they go, and ever we're paying, paying; and it's easy to figure and easy to know where the plunks go straying, straying. Carpet and table and folding bed, cabinet, chairs and piano; we pay and we pay till it takes the last red, then start on a new hat for Fanny. Our ancestors lived in an age that was slow; they'd have thought that our ways were most shocking; they bought on the theory "Pay as you go," they saved a few coins for the stocking. We live in an age that is doing things brown, an age of high aim and endeavor; and we live by paying a dollar down, and a dollar forever and ever.

The Junior S. C. E. of the Christian church had a very interesting lesson on the life of Livingston, Sunday afternoon. The offering was \$5.01.

## MENDON

If anybody by chance should go to sleep and forget what month this is on awakening they would soon be aware of the fact that it is windy March.

Mrs. Troy Beckett's aunt, Mrs. Jones, and children of Springfield and Mrs. Margaret Edwards visited with her last week.

Mrs. Myrtle Howe, of Arkansas, who has been with her mother, Mrs. Dallas Pruitt, departed for her home and her mother accompanied her. We all hope the change will do her good and that she will return homesoon in good health.

The teacher and pupils of Mendon school are preparing a program for the last day of school, April 11th.

Rev. G. W. Qualls has announced that Rev. Elba Stribling will fill his appointment at Liberty Sunday in his absence.

Phil Hunter and family have moved to the farm which Mr. Matledge recently purchased from Bill Bramer.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Melton, of Mt. Vernon, visited Monday and Tuesday with the latter's brother, W. L. Howard, who is sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Cagle attended church at Mt. Olivet, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beckett visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. L. Matthews and family, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beckett and Mrs. Charley Cagle all spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Howard.

Wishing the Editor and staff and the many readers of the TIMES a most glorious Easter, as before

VIOLET.

### GET YOUR FRUIT TREES.

Having bought a job lot of surplus nursery stock at right price, I will be able to furnish same at small cost to anyone wanting cherry, apple and peach trees. See me at once. Will exchanged for live stock.

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### REFUSES DEMURRER

Judge McNatt denied the demurrer asked for by attorneys for Judge Montgomery, E. B. Holman and J. H. Otterman in the suit to recover the \$1,500 which is alleged to have been illegally appropriated for the plans and specifications for a new court house drawn by C. E. Hair & Co., of Oklahoma City.

The overruling of this demurrer is holding by the court that if the facts are true as alleged in the petition the county has a right to recover the money and that the defendants are individually responsible.

Another important question settled in the decision refusing the demurrer is that the court had no legal right to be in session December 31, when Mr. Otterman was employed as superintendent and the Hair plans were re-adopted.—Cassville Democrat.

### SUSTAINS DEMURRER

Judge Carr McNatt Wednesday afternoon sustained the demurrer of Jake Davis and J. E. Sater of the firm of Mayhew, Sater & Gardner, to the petition of W. T. Bailey against Judge P. B. O'Dwyer for damages in the sum of \$30,000 as a result of an interview published in The Democrat in January.

The criminal case against Judge O'Dwyer for slander filed by Dr. Bailey with Prosecutor Burgess was also dismissed by Mr. Burgess.—Cassville Democrat.

Mr. and Mrs. Graber have returned to this place from St. Louis and have rooms at Claud Bower's residence on Third street.

Mrs. J. N. Bailey, of Paris, Tex., is visiting her friend, Mrs. J. W. Bingham.

## CIRCUIT COURT

J. A. Giffillan vs City of Monett, damages, dismissed.

W. T. Bailey vs P. B. O'Dwyer, slander, demurrer sustained.

J. F. Campbell vs N. L. Cliff, Attachment, trial by jury and verdict for defendant.

Samuel C. Marty vs W. T. Ayers, ejectment, trial by court, judgment for defendant.

Samuel C. Marty vs Bartholomew Stringetto, ejectment, trial by court, judgment for defendant.

State vs. Robert Hughes, forgery, defendant Robert Hughes was paroled by court, he having pleaded guilty to a charge of raising a check. Within ten minutes after his parole he returned to the court room and requested the court to sentence him for life. This time however he intimated that there was an accomplice, and the matter having been sifted by the Court it was ascertained that this accomplice was Miss Veleria Jones of Peirce City, Mo. She too pleaded guilty and the Court passed sentence "until death should them part."

Mary E. Gray vs James W. Gray, divorce, decree granted.

Flora A. Johnson vs Chas. A. Johnson, divorce, decree granted.

Stella Morton vs Willie F. Morton, divorce, decree granted.

Cora Ricker vs Henry F. Ricker, divorce, decree granted.

Lucy Warner vs Bert Warner, divorce, decree granted.

Annie Alandsee vs Boleslaw Alandsee, divorce, decree granted.

Aaron Misenhelter vs Mary Misenhelter, divorce, decree granted.

State vs. Homer Overton, gambling, plea of guilty, fined \$25, paroled for one year.

State vs. C. P. Cook, felonious assault, trial by jury, verdict of not guilty.

State vs. Earl Stapleton, exhibiting pistol, dismissed.

State vs. H. Moore, Grand larceny, continued.

Our phone number is 136.

Sulphur Springs to have light plant.

Sulphur Springs, Ark., March 24.—Sulphur Springs Saturday let contracts for a municipal water and light system, to cost \$35,000. There were thirty-nine different concerns bidding for the work. Work will be started at once and should be completed not later than July 1 of this year.

Mrs. Jim Matthews spent Sunday at Webb City.

Herron Westbay returned to Columbia Sunday night.

W. B. Tanler's son Kenton is ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. A. O. Pelzer has returned from a visit to relatives at Joplin.

Mrs. H. H. Brown is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Walsh.

Geo. Sheehan is visiting his sister, Mrs. Blake Dirickson, at Dallas, Tex.

O. P. Shaffer is reported a little better today. He was very low Sunday.

Rev. H. H. St. Louis went to Carthage Tuesday to attend the M. E. Conference.

J. P. S. Planchon, from south of town, was called to Cassville as a witness, Tuesday.

Pete Martin was a witness in circuit court at Cassville, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Shaffer, of Francis, Ok., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Shaffer. They were called here by Mr. Shaffer's illness.

Jas. Allen will leave tonight for his home in Texas. He has been working as mail clerk out of this place.

Mrs. F. M. Hall will leave tonight for Kansas City to enter the Thornton & Minert Sanitarium.

Mrs. Rorick and daughter, Mrs. Joe Reidhaar, of Carthage, are visiting friends here and will attend the O. R. C. Ball Wednesday night.

## ROLL OF STORM'S VICTIMS

Omaha, March 24.—Total of the dead and injured in the path of Sunday's storm are as follows, according to information received tonight.

Omaha, 202 dead and 330 injured.

Terre Haute, 18 dead, 250 injured.

Yutan, Neb. 16 dead.

Council Bluffs, Ia., 12 dead, 14 injured.

Berlin, Neb., 7 dead, 17 injured.

Glenwood, Ia., 5 dead, 2 injured.

Chicago, 5 dead, 40 injured.

Barkett, Ia., 3 dead, 10 injured.

Weston, Ia., 2 dead, 2 injured.

Neola, Ia., 2 dead, 2 injured.

Bebee, Ia., 2 injured.

Malvern, Ia., 2 injured.

Walton, Ill., 1 dead, 3 injured.

Sterling, 1 dead.

Traverse City, Mich., 1 dead.

Perth, Ind., 1 injured.

Total 275 killed, 694 injured.

## MENDON

Once more we are all enjoying the March wind.

John Todd is able to be up most of the time.

Mrs. Grissom is improving slowly from her recent spell of heart trouble, but not able to do anything.

John Todd lost his yearling colt last week. That makes two horses he has lost in the past two months. The first one was his work horse.

Mrs. Hunnel and mother spent Tuesday with Mrs. D. S. Shaw.

Ben Yeazel and John Grissom is doing some work on the Mutual phone line near Monett.

We are all expecting an egg roasting time Easter. We hope the Editor has his share.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard of Peirce City, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Messenger, in Freistatt.

Quite a number are sowing oats this week.

Mrs. R. D. Zinn is not improving so well as could be expected, and they think she will undergo an operation soon.

Some are making an early garden.

Poor Nix, he thinks the girls ought to stay at home on the Prairie. What do you think the girls think about the boys. One has as good a right to go as others, so long as they are not going to the north pole. We don't care for any more cold weather at present.

NOBODY.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:—

Take notice that my wife Lillie Wormington having left my bed and board without my consent and against my will and wishes and without any just cause, I will not be responsible for any obligations which she may make. This the 28th day of February, 1913.

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## SUNSHINE GIRLS PLEASANT HOUR CLUB.

The Sunshine Girls Pleasant Hour Club spent a delightful hour with Shirley Barnesley Saturday afternoon. An interesting program was rendered, and games of fun indulged in. Refreshments appropriate to Easter were served. Club members follow: Ethel Amber, Marie Benny, Bessie and Jessie Colbert, Lula Curry, Gladys Jeffries, Isabelle Johnson, Vera Peters, Edna Steenbock, Mary Varble, Shirley Barnesley and Grace Whitlatch. Mrs. Barnesley was assisted in serving by Mrs. J. L. Jeffries.

Miss Vera Feist, who had been spending Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Feist, returned to Springfield Tuesday to resume her studies at Drury.

Geo. Feist, express messenger reports the worst dust and sand storm in Kansas, west of Wichita, Sunday, in the history of that section of the state. The sun was obscured and many of the chickens went to roost.

Miss Ruth Beasley, of Cassville, who had spent Easter at home, returned to her studies at Drury college, in Springfield, Tuesday morning.



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